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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: COHERENT LASER RADAR DEVICE

Examiner: Isam A. Alsomiri

**STATEMENT OF THE INTERVIEW**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Examiner:

A telephonic interview was initiated by the Examiner on June 20, 2007 in regard to claims 1 and 2. The Examiner proposed an amendment to Claim 1 to include part of the allowable subject matter from Claim 2.

The Applicant agreed to incorporate limitations from claim 2 which includes “a polarization controller that adjusts the polarization of the transmitted light that is outputted from the optical modulator such that the polarization monitor output becomes minimum; an optical fiber amplifier that amplifies the transmitted light which is outputted from the polarization controller; a polarization splitting coupler that splits the transmitted light which is amplified by the optical fiber amplifier to two linearly polarized components which are orthogonal to each other,” to claim 1. The proposed amendments to claim 1 was made via Examiner’s Amendment.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Michael K. Mutter Reg. No. 29,680 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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